IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE DISTRICT OF DELAWARE

MERCK & CO., INC.,)
Plaintiff,)
v.) C.A. No. 07-229
RANBAXY INC., and RANBAXY LABORATORIES LIMITED,)))
Defendants.)))

DECLARATION OF MAILING

James W. Parrett, Jr. declares as follows:

- I am an associate at the law firm of Morris, Nichols, Arsht & Tunnell
 LLP, counsel to plaintiff in this action.
- 2. Defendant Ranbaxy Laboratories Limited is a corporation organized and existing under the laws of India, having its principal place of business at Plot No. 90, Sector 32, Gurgaon-122 001, Haryana, India
- 3. The Summons and Complaint in this action were served on defendant Ranbaxy Laboratories Limited on May 1, 2007, pursuant to 10 *Del. C.* § 3104, by hand delivery to the Delaware Secretary of State, together with the statutory fee of \$2.00. A copy of the Summons, showing the service on the Secretary of State, was filed with the Court on May 1, 2007.
- 4. On May 1, 2007, copies of the Summons and Complaint were sent by registered mail to Ranbaxy Laboratories Limited, Plot 90, Sector 32, Gurgaon-122 001 Haryana, India, together with a notice stating that the service of the originals of such process had been made upon the Delaware Secretary of State, and that under 10 *Del. C.* § 3104, such service is as

effectual to all intents and purposes as if it had been made upon Ranbaxy Laboratories Limited personally within this state. *See* Exhibit A.

5. The registered mail return receipt that I received on July 20, 2007, shows that Ranbaxy Laboratories Limited received and accepted the Summons, Complaint and notice. *See* Exhibit B.

I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct.

/s/ James W. Parrett, Jr.

James W. Parrett, Jr. (#4292)

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EXHIBIT A

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May 1, 2007

REGISTERED MAIL RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED

Ranbaxy Laboratories Limited Plot 90, Sector 32 Gurgaon -122001 (Haryana), INDIA

Re:

Service of Process - Merck & Co., Inc. v. Ranbaxy Inc.

and Ranbaxy Laboratories Limited; C.A. No. 07-229

To whom it may concern:

Enclosed are copies of the Summons, Complaint for Patent Infringement against Ranbaxy Laboratories Limited, and Notice of Availability of a United States Magistrate Judge in this action, which were served on the Delaware Secretary of State on May 1, 2007, pursuant to 10 <u>Del. C.</u> § 3104(d). Under 10 <u>Del. C.</u> § 3104(d), such service is as effectual for all intents and purposes as if it had been made upon Ranbaxy Laboratories Limited within the State of Delaware.

Sincerely,

James W. Parrett, Jr.

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